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SUBJECT: CODEL DERWINSKI, EDWARD J.

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1. I HOPE CONGRESSMAN DERWINSKI AND HIS FAMILY WILL BE ABLE
TO ACCEPT MY INVITATION FOR A SMALL, INFORMAL LUNCHEON AT THE
RESIDENCE ON FEBRUARY 11 OR 12. ALTERNATIVELY, I WOULD BE
HAPPY TO RECEIVE THE KERWINSKIS AT THE EMBASSY AT THEIR
CONVENIENCE.

2. PLEASE ADVISE MEANS AND TIME OF VIENNA ARRIVAL AND
DEPARTURE AS AID IN SUGGESTING PROGRAM REQUESTED REFTTEL
PARA 3.

3. EMBASSY WILL TRY TO ARRANGE MEETINGS WITH APPROPRIATE
PARLIAMENTARIANS ON FEBRUARY 11 (AUSTRIANS ARE NOT NORMALLY
AVAILABLE FOR OFFICIAL BUSINESS AT THE WEEKEND). DOES
CONGRESSMAN DERWINSKI HAVE PARTICULAR INDIVIDUALS IN MIND?

4. SPANUDING SCHOOL IS CLOSED UNTIL MARCH 6.
STAATSOPER HAS PREMIERE OF BALLET "PILEAS AND
MELISANDA" FEBRUARY 11 WITH REPEAT PERFORMANCE
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FEBRUARY 12; VOLSOPER HAS "MARRIAGE OF FIGARO" AND
"THE MERRY WIDOW" (BOTH IN GERMAN) ON SAME NIGHTS,
RESPECTIVELY. GOOD SEATS AT STAATSOPER ARE 400-500
SCHILLINGS EACH; AT VOLSOPER, 200-300 SCHILLINGS.
(US \$1 EQUALS 17 SCHILLINGS.) EMBASSY WILL TRY TO
SECURE TICKETS AS ADVISED.

5. EMBASSY HAS ORDERED OUR TICKETS FOR VIENNA BOYS' CHOIR, WHICH INCLUDES MASS, AT 9:25 A.M. FEBRUARY 13, COST 60 SCHILLINGS EACH, BUT CAN CANCEL IF ONWARD TRAVEL PLANS PRECLUDE ATTENDANCE. (ON FEBRUARY 13, SK 674 DEPARTS VIENNA FOR COPENHAGEN AT 3:10 P.M. AND OS 661 AT 6:05 P.M.; BE 553 DEPARTS FOR LONDON AT 2:00 P.M. CONNECTING WITH TW 701 DEPARTING AT 5:00 P.M. FOR NY/JFK. TWA 833 DEPARTS VIENNA DAILY AT 11:30 A.M. FOR NY/JFK VIA ZURICH). PLEASE ADVISE.

6. OTHER THAN GENERAL TOUR OF INNER CITY, ALBERTINA MUSEUM OF GRAPHICS, NATIONAL ART MUSEUM WITH FLEMISH MASTERS, HOFBURG WINTER PLANCE APARTMENTS AND CROWN JEWELS, SCHOENBRUNN PLANCE, ST. STEPHENS CATHEDRAL AND BELVEDERS PLACE WOULD BE OF PARTICULAR INTEREST, AS TIME PERMITS. UNFORTUNATELY, WINTER HOURS MAY PRECLUDE SEEING ALL, SO PREFERENCES SHOULD BE INDICATED. DO DERWINSKIS WISH TO HAVE ENGLISH-SPEAKING GUIDE? (COST IS 100 SCHILLINGS PER HOUR.) EMBASSY CAN MAKE CAR AVAILABLE.

7. CONTROL OFFICER AND MRS. ANDERSON WOULD BE PLEASED TO ACCOMPANY CONGRESSMAN AND HIS FAMILY FOR DINNER AT HEURIGEN (TRADITIONAL AUSTRIAN WINE TRAVEN) OR OTHER RESTAURANT ON EITHER FEBRUARY 11 OF 12.

8. TWO DOUBLES WITH TWIN BEDS AT 1250 SCHILLINGS EACH PER DAY RESERVED AT HOTEL IMPERIAL FOR NIGHTS OF FEBRUARY 11 AND 12 PENDING RECEIPT OF DEFINITIVE UNCLASSIFIED

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